

**AMENDMENT AFTER  
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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>		Attorney Docket No.	1075.1236	
		Application Number	10/699,655	
		Filing Date	November 4, 2003	
		First Named Inventor	Hideaki SUGIYA	
		Group Art Unit	3663	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Deandra M. Hughes	

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	- 3 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of August 22, 2006, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations = \$ 0.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

**TOTAL FEES DUE** = \$ 0.00

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- Check enclosed as payment.
- Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- No payment is enclosed.

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

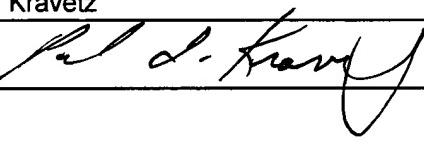
If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No. 19-3935

Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP

The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Paul I. Kravetz	Reg. No.	35,230
Signature			Date August 21, 2006

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Docket No.: 1075.1236

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Hideaki SUGIYA

Serial No. 10/699,655

Group Art Unit: 3663

Confirmation No. 5384

Filed: November 4, 2003

Examiner: Deandra M. Hughes

For: OPTICAL AMPLIFIER, PASSING-WAVELENGTH CHARACTERISTIC CONTROL  
METHOD IN OPTICAL AMPLIFIER, AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

**REONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 22, 2006.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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